

# Shain Carrizal

Director, Administration and Finance, Harris County, Texas

Shain Carrizal began his career at Harris County in 1998. As the Director of Administration and Finance in the Budget Management Department, he is responsible for the financial management of the county's \$347 million self-insured health plan as well as its \$50 million workers' compensation program. When a disaster occurs in Harris County, Shain oversees the Recovery Branch, which includes damage assessment, debris removal operations, and reimbursements from Federal and State agencies. He has served in this role during Hurricane Ike (2008), the Memorial Day Flood (2015), the Tax Day Flood (2016) and most recently, Hurricane Harvey (2017). In the aftermath of Hurricane Ike, Shain was instrumental in Harris County receiving \$84 million in reimbursement from FEMA and the Federal Highway Administration.

Shain holds a Bachelor of Arts degree from the University of Texas at Austin and a Masters of Finance degree from the University of Houston at Clear Lake. He is member of the Texas Public Risk Management Association and the Texas Association of Counties Investment Academy.